Application of U.S. Strategic Roadmap ... and How the North American 3R's Collaborative May Help

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3Rs Organizations in NA Can Help – Refinement & Communication

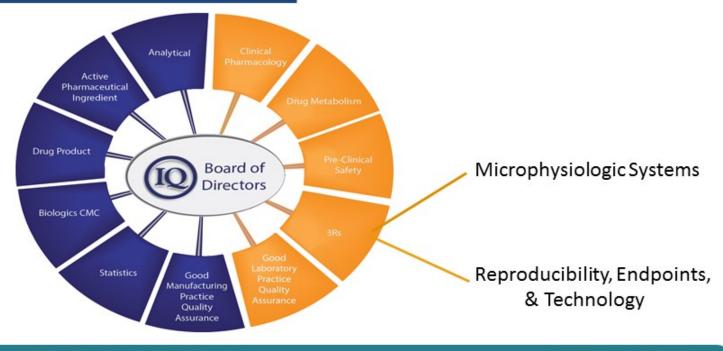
 Roadmap is heavy on Reduction and Replacement, but what about Refinement?



 Strategic Road Map Outline - "Develop mechanisms to improve communication between end-users and researchers."

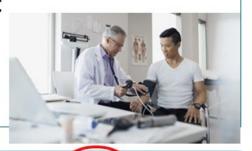
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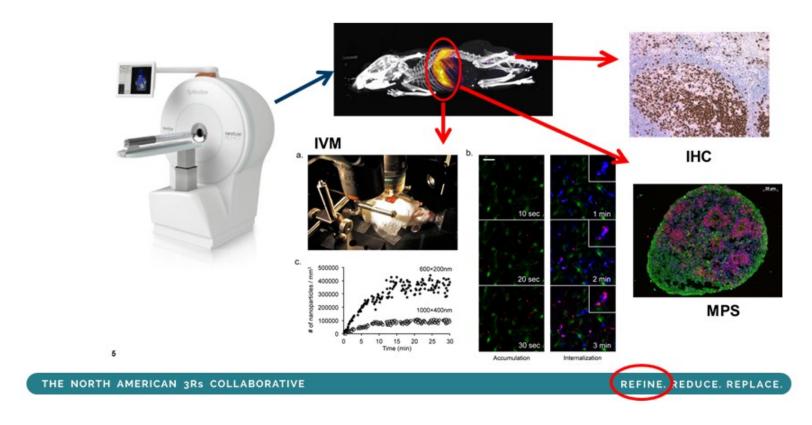


Refinement's Place in the Roadmap to New Approaches in Toxicology Research and Studies

- Depression / Morbidity / Death
- Clinical Pathology (Liver Enzymes, Renal Chemistry, Hematology)
- Limited Physiologic Parameters (EKG, Ophthalmology)
- Better or Surrogate Endpoints = Refinement
 - Biomarkers
 - Behavior
 - Physiology



New Approaches In Toxicology



Strategic Road Map Outline

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REFINE. REDUCE. REPLACE.

ADVANCING SCIENCE, INNOVATION AND WELFARE THROUGH SHARING

What is the NA3RsC?

Mission/Statement of Purpose

- The mission of the NA3RsC is to advance the science of the 3Rs replacing, reducing and refining the use of animals in research.
- Our strategy includes:
 - Raising awareness of current 3Rs technologies and approaches
 - Fostering networks and collaborations focused on the 3Rs
 - Acting as a clearinghouse for information on the 3Rs
- To do this we work across the scientific community with researchers from academia and industry, veterinarians and animal care staff, policy makers, regulators and funders.

Collaborative not Competitive!

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Building a virtual 3Rs community...

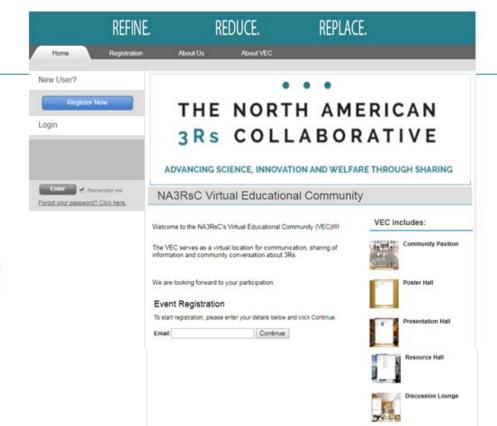
A Dynamic, Interactive, and Evolving Community

- Theater to present educational symposiums live
- 3Rs community pavilion
 - (a resource hub / portal to all North American 3Rs communities who participate)
 - Links to useful information
- Platform to discuss and solve topical issues

Website



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Virtual Education Community

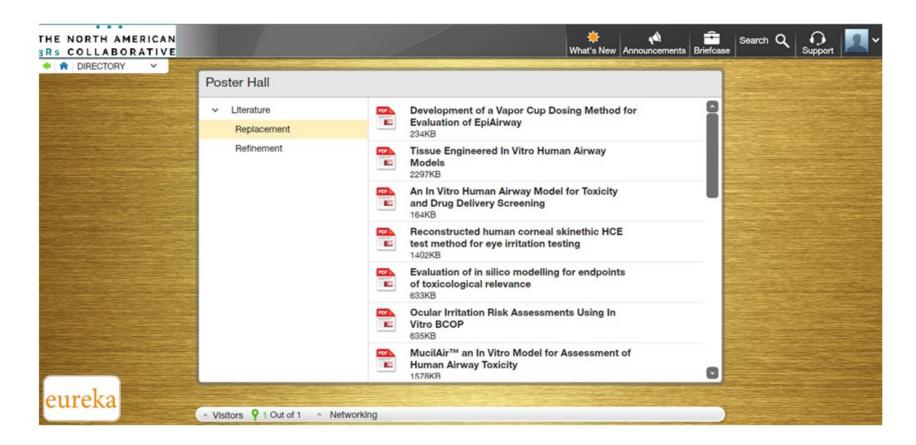
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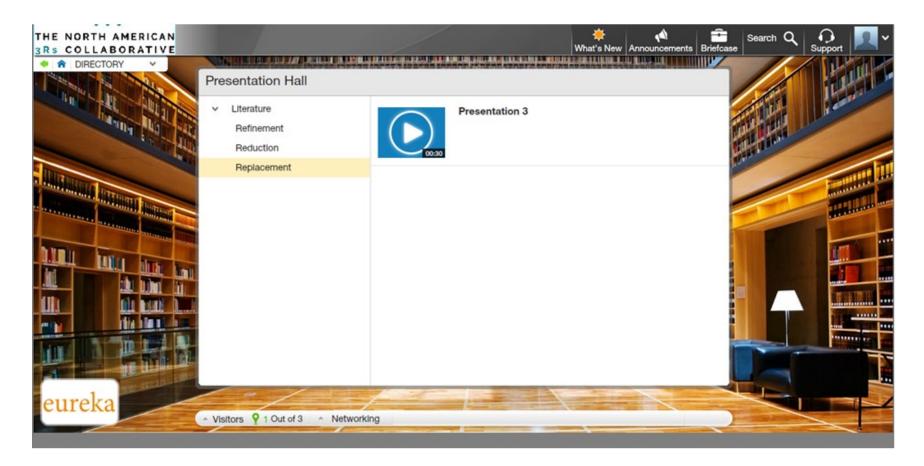
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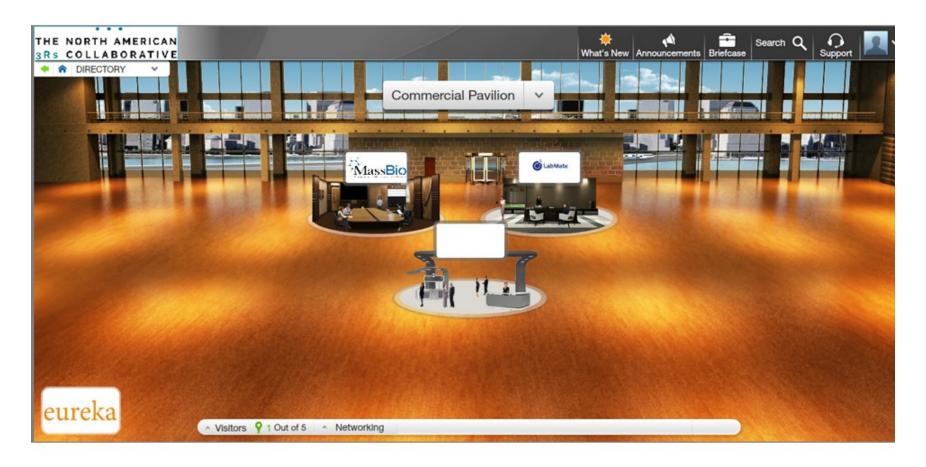


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